

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of) MAIL STOP AMENDMENT		
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Application No.: 10/665,372	Examiner: SHARMILA S GOLLAMUDI		
Filing Date: September 22, 2003	Confirmation No.: 5014		
Title: MANGANESE COMPOSITIONS FOR TREATING SKIN VASCULAR TISSUE AND COMBATING SKIN PALLOR))))		

AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application. \boxtimes A Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed. Terminal Disclaimer(s) and the \$\infty\$ \$65 \$\infty\$ \$130 fee per Disclaimer due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are enclosed. Also enclosed is/are: _____ Small entity status is hereby claimed. Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose П the \$\Bigcup \$ 395 \$\Bigcup \$ 790 fee due under 37 C.F.R. \ \ 1.17(e). Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments not be entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above. _____ on _____ for which Applicant(s) previously submitted continued examination is requested. \Box Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least , which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed. A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also enclosed.

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	No. of Claims	Highest No. of Claims Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Rate	Addit	ional Fee
Total Claims	40	46	0	x \$ 50 (1202)	\$	0
Independent Claims	12	6	6	x \$ 200 (1201)		1200
☐ If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$ 360 (1203)					\$	0
Total Claim Amendment Fee				\$	1200	
☐ Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Claim Amendment Fee					0	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$	1200

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